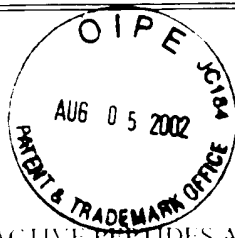


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We are transmitting the following documents along with this Transmittal Sheet (which is submitted in triplicate):

- ☒ **Small entity status is entitled to be asserted in the above-identified application.**
- ☒ An itemized return postcard.
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for \_\_ month(s) and a check in the amount of \$\_\_ for the required fee.
- ☒ A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs); 1449 forms (4 pgs); and copies of 48 documents cited on the 1449 forms.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_, representing \_\_\_\_.
- ☐ A certified copy of a \_\_ application, Serial No. \_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, the right of priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
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Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers and please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4895. Triplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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Sir:

In accordance with the continuing duty of candor and good faith that is to be demonstrated before the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), enclosed are copies of 50 documents which Applicant brings to the Examiner's attention as possibly being of interest in connection with the above-identified patent application. Consideration of each of the documents listed on the attached 1449 forms is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of MPEP § 609, Applicant further requests that a copy of the 1449 forms, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next Official Communication.

It is believed that no fee is due, as this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is filed prior to the receipt of any Action on the merits. However, in the event a fee is due, please charge any fee or credit any overpayment to Account No. 13-4895.

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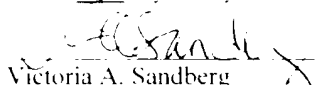
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When the Examiner takes up the present application, consideration of these documents is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's Representatives at the below-listed telephone number, if they can be of any assistance during prosecution of the present application.

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